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Attorney Docket No.: 58764.000036

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Greta ARNAUT, et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1638
Application Number: 10/040,906	) Examiner: Anne R. KUBELIK
Filed: January 9, 2002	)

For:

NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES ENCODING NOVEL BACILLUS

THURINGIENSIS INSECTICIDAL PROTEINS, PLANT CELLS, PLANTS OR SEEDS COMPRISING THE NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES AND METHODS OF

**USING SAME** 

## PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated February 24, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check to cover the fee of \$950.00 for the Extension under 37 C.F.R. \$1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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